Message

From: Dee, Rhiannon [dee.Rhiannon@epa.gov]

Sent: 3/21/2019 2:16:19 PM

To: Swenson, Peter [swenson.peter@epa.gov]

CC: Tanaka, Joan [Tanaka.Joan@epa.gov]; Holst, Linda [holst.linda@epa.gov]

Subject: FW: Polymet 404 permit expected today

Hi Peter,

Can we get a write-up on this for the HQ report? I would need something no later than 1pm.

Format:

Headline

Key Message: Current status/recent events. [One sentence.]

Why is this significant/Brief background. [Two-three sentences.]

Thanks.

From: Kelley, Jeff

Sent: Thursday, March 21, 2019 8:38 AM
To: Dee, Rhiannon < dee.Rhiannon@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Polymet 404 permit expected today

For the weekend update ...

Jeff Kelley

Director, Office of External Communications

U.S. EPA Region 5 ph: 312-353-1159

From: Swenson, Peter

Sent: Thursday, March 21, 2019 8:30 AM

To: Tanaka, Joan Tanaka.Joan@epa.gov">Tanaka.Joan@epa.gov; Holst, Linda holst, Linda holst, Linda@epa.gov; Frazer, Brian Frazer, Brian@epa.gov; Goodin, John Goodin.John@epa.gov; Kelley, Jeff kelley, Jeff holst.linda@epa.gov; Westlake,

Kenneth < westlake.kenneth@epa.gov >; Wester, Barbara < wester.barbara@epa.gov >; Nelson, Leverett

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Subject: Polymet 404 permit expected today

This morning we received a call from Chad Konickson at the Corps St Paul district office saying that it will issue the Polymet 404 permit today. The press release announcement is not expected until this afternoon. Until then the information will not be publicly available.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Konickson, Chad S CIV USARMY CEMVP (US)" < chad.konickson@usace.army.mil

Date: March 21, 2019 at 7:59:42 AM CDT

To: "Swenson, Peter" < swenson.peter@epa.gov>

Subject: Call (UNCLASSIFIED)

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Thanks for the return call. I was able to catch Wendy and she said she'd walk over and the deliver the message I relayed to her. Let me know if you have any questions. Thanks Peter.

Chad

Chad Konickson Chief, Regulatory Branch

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